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Enclosed with this amendment are the following documents:

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IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. A method of producing a derivatised antibody, [so that the] which <u>derivatised</u> antibody is capable of binding to <u>an</u> immobilised IgG, the method comprising: treating a precursor antibody to expose a carbohydrate chain of the precursor antibody from an interstitial site on the surface of the precursor antibody; and,



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